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Serial No.: 09/491,810

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Thomas J. Sullivan )

Serial No.: 09/491,810 )

Filed: January 28, 2000 )

For: **AN APPARATUS AND METHOD)**  
**FOR COMBINING SIMD )**  
**RESULTS USING A STALL )**  
**BASE METHODOLOGY )**

Group Art Unit: 2183

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Technology Center 2100

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant has carefully considered the Final Office Action mailed March 4, 2003 (Paper No. 4). In response, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those, which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-Packard's Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on APR 13, 2003

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